



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/653,487	08/31/2000	Derrick Bell	SOFT-01002US2 SRM/SBS sbs	4809
23910	7590	08/10/2005	EXAMINER	
FLIESLER MEYER, LLP FOUR EMBARCADERO CENTER SUITE 400 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111			POND, ROBERT M	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			3625	

DATE MAILED: 08/10/2005

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary

Application No.	Applicant(s)	
09/653,487	BELL ET AL.	
Examiner	Art Unit	
Robert M. Pond	3625	

All Participants:

- (1) Robert M. Pond.
- (2) Joseph P. O'Malley, Reg. #36,226.

Status of Application: Pending

- (3) _____
- (4) _____

Date of Interview: 24 August 2005

Time: 1PM Eastern

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No
If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
None

Claims discussed:
39-41

Prior art documents discussed:
OrderManager, Conklin

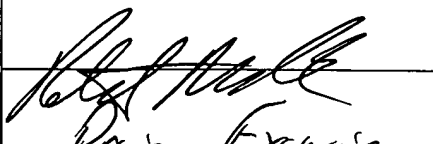
Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Examiner discussed options (Appeal/RCE); discussed claim language; suggested that Applicant and legal counsel consider a telephonic working session with Examiner to review specification for potential allowable subject matter.

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)